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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.28(c), Applicants respectfully give notification that the status of the above-referenced application as a small entity has been changed and they are not entitled to small entity status.

Applicants paid the fourth year maintenance fee in the amount \$525.00 (small entity) on January 20, 1998. Applicants have discovered that the payment of the maintenance fee as a small entity was in error. Accordingly, Applicants enclose a \$525.00 check to cover payment of the deficiency between the amount of maintenance fee paid (\$525.00) and the amount due (\$1050.00).

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